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Sir:

Applicant(s) respectfully petition for a two (2) month extension of time within which to respond to the Office Action dated August 27, 2003, such extension allowing the undersigned until January 27, 2004, to respond.

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